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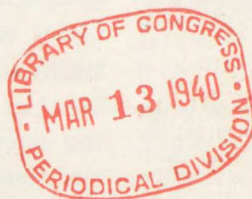
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Max Muller in "The Science of Religion" says, "all truth is safe; and he who holds back the Truth, or withholds it from men, from motives of expediency, is either a coward or a criminal, or both." You will see now how impossible it is for your Founder to withhold from the public what he has discovered to be the truths of God, although I admit it would be far easier for me and for my family if I withheld these truths. But that I cannot do. For the liberating of these truths of God, although they are far removed from what is offered to us today as religious truth, will, sooner or later, lead to the liberation of the entire human race. The truths of God have ever been able and willing to do just this. But this has been impossible of achievement because falsehood, in the cloak of truth, has been masquerading in the name and under the garb of God.

It is, therefore, with a feeling of joy that I disclose to the world the universality of the Spirit of God. It is with a great deal of pleasure that I expose the falsehood which has decorated the head of what we know as religion, and bring to men instead, pure, simple truths of God which all can accept, and, when accepted, will bring complete harmony out of chaos. Were the world not in such a perilous state, I might perhaps take the easy way, and let someone else, a little later, call the attention of the world to the error and falsity which has been, and still is, masquerading as spiritual truth. But the call of the day is for men. Men who cannot be bought. Men who, in spite of threatened annihilation to themselves, will, under the banner of God, and in the Power of God, stand fearless and proclaim to a fast dying world that it may be saved from disaster, not through anything the church has, but *through the Power of the Spirit of God*. May the good God grant that as long as I have

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breath, I may be found under that heading.

For I see no other way to prevent human catastrophe. I see no daylight ahead. I know of no power or no organization which can be even faintly suspected of being able to avert catastrophe. That is, no power or no organization which is manifesting on the earth today. It would be a mistake to say that no such Power exists, for it does. But it is not known by those very ones who, under the garb of God, tell us they have the true story of God and are really God's representatives on the earth. The only way out I see, is for these truths of God to be universally made known, and then they will be accepted. There must be a world-wide conscious, educational religious emancipation. The human race must be freed from the pagan superstitions which have entwined themselves round humanity and the church, and in the place of those old myths and errors, must be brought into play, *the Power of the Spirit of God*.

In books, in universities, in schools, in newspapers, in plays, there must be incessant, ruthless truth-telling about these old pagan myths and traditions and legends which are antagonizing us, are wasting us, and are bringing the world to a doom from which there may be no escape. We must have, and we shall have, a great massacre of stale, rotten beliefs and ancient myths if we are to avoid great massacres of human beings. Again I state that in and through the Power of the Spirit of God, I shall, as long as given breath, ruthlessly write, and ruthlessly expose these old legends which, at the hands of a pagan church,

have usurped the truths of the Living God. Of course, a great howl will go up from this pagan church, but it will have to howl. It has had 2000 years in which to show the world whether its claims are true or false. And it has been weighed

in the balance and found wanting. Only today the Pope of Rome released a statement directed exclusively at the United States, in which statement he chided America for not listening to "the only one authorized to teach and act for God." That is the greatest piece of religious tommy-rot I have ever heard or seen in any newspaper. If the Pope can get people to believe it though, he can continue in existence his church which, according to all information I can get, is losing its hold on its own people faster than any other religious organization in existence.

I challenge that statement of the Pope of Rome. I am just as much authorized to teach and act for God as the Pope is. Probably more so. At any rate during the ten years of my ministry I can show more actual results of God in human lives than the Catholic church has ever been able to show. This proposition of letting "the other fellow" do your religious thinking and reasoning for you, just because *he says* he is the only one authorized to act for God, is very much more passe these days.

No man has anything to say about the growth of a beautiful flower. No man can make a beautiful child unless he do it by complying with the Law which is God. And no man, Pope or otherwise, is authorized to either interpret the truths of God, or act for God on this earth, to the exclusion of the rest of the human race. And the philosophy which says he is, is a false philosophy. We might ask the gentleman in Rome to produce his credentials from God. Then we might believe him. Otherwise, I am afraid

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Walter Winchell

"An American editor has one of the most difficult jobs of them all—for the strange reason that the integrity of the American press is the highest on earth . . . No man qualifies as an American journalist unless his North Star is the Truth . . . From the dawn of history the Friends of Truth have been called the Enemies of Man . . . Every editor of any experience, knows that while Truth is young, it has ten enemies for every friend . . . And when Truth is old it is no longer news . . . But long after the facts are accepted and forgotten—the man who first made them public—is remembered and hated . . . Because Truth is impartial to friend and to foe . . . To minority and majority—to pride and prejudice . . . But an editor finds comfort in the course which is always a straight line—and along the way that fears no man . . . His only reward—is that by helping men live together—a man learns to live—with himself."

Without any doubt, the writer and radio commentator Walter Winchell is the biggest attraction on the air today. Never do you find Mr. Winchell using his great influence for other than what he believes to be the truth. His Americanism cannot be doubted, and while any man in the national limelight as Mr. Winchell is must find those with whom he cannot agree, the one outstanding fact seems to be that if this country had a few more Winchells in it, it would have far less of the subversive foreign parasites who seek, not only to drive the very name of God from off the face of the earth, but who seek to sap the very life blood from fair America.

Your Founder was very greatly honored last Sunday night by Mr. Winchell, when, on his Jergens Journal, he alluded to Dr. Robinson in a

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very complimentary manner. Thank you, Mr. Winchell, it is appreciated to the very full. For some eleven years now I have been fighting as hard as man can fight, and against what at times seems to be overwhelming opposition, to bring to this earth the consciousness of the existence of the Power of the Spirit of God. I have fought to make clear and plain to all my fellow-citizens, that, while religious theories and dogma may be all right, the Power of the Spirit of God exists outside of them all. I have pointed out the fact, time and time again, that every man, regardless of who he may be, can find, within him, the Power of God, which Power, rightly used and understood, can drive from this earth every semblance of war, injustice and other allied social horrors, and can replace these things with a permanent, lasting peace, made possible because men and women can, if they but knew it, find the Power of God right in them.

The world is coming to see that we of "Psychiana" know what we are talking about. The manifestations of Power following this Teaching have not ever been duplicated. Yet, because we do not believe very much what "orthodoxy" teaches, we are "taboo." However, where there is truth, it will shine. Where there is God, it will win men. And we can now look back upon the eleven years spent in fighting, for at last the world is beginning to find out that only the consciousness of the Spirit of God can bring permanent peace, and the world is looking to the little city of Moscow, Idaho, and "that man Robinson" and wondering how long it will be until the message of "Psychiana" is in every heart.

What Mr. Winchell did last Sunday evening will never be forgotten by me. May this country, if possible, raise up many men of his type. We should be proud of such a man. We are. Editorial is quoted above.

If you ask God for a lot, you honor God. Give God a chance, just because you limit yourself don't make the mistake of limiting the Almighty.

With Our... Students

This letter comes to us from Pennsylvania, proving that the Spirit of God operates in Pennsylvania just as effectively as it operates in Moscow, Idaho. It's a very wonderful letter, and we are glad, Mrs. Hendra, that your experience with the Spirit of God was so satisfactory. Here is the letter:

Mrs. Margaret Hendra, Turtle Creek, Pennsylvania:

I am very happy to say that my health is better now than it has been for the last five years. The doctors would only help me for a short while. After I started to study "Psychiana," I asked God to help me. I had faith that God would when we ask anything that is right. For the last four months I have never had any return of nervous indigestion. So I thank God, and Doctor Robinson for showing me through the Power of the Living God the way to health and happiness.

The next letter is short, but very sweet to us. God has brought to Mrs. Carruth, new spiritual, new mental life, and new physical life. Could one ask any more of God than that? I think not. Thank you for this letter, my friend. Tell those around you of the present existence of the Great Spirit of God. They, too, would like a similar experience, I suspect:

Mrs. R. J. Carruth, Marietta, Georgia:

Blessings on your efforts. "Psychiana" has meant new life for me, spiritually, mentally, and physically.

Here is another letter containing that word "wonderful." The letter, couched in simple, plain words, is absolutely conclusive evidence that the Spirit of God exists here and now, just as we teach, and that it can bring to all men and women an abundance of every good thing. Certainly this is the first time the Spirit of God has been allowed to operate in human lives, unhampered by the traditions of the church. This is a beautiful letter. Read it three or four times. It will do you good.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mechma, San Bernardino, Calif.:

We haven't words to express our thanks to you for bringing us this wonderful message, and we have studied the Lessons several times. My husband was transferred here to San Bernardino with a good raise in salary, and we also were able to visit his parents this last summer, whom he hadn't seen for eleven years. Our whole family is in the best of health, and we are happier than we ever have been before in our lives.

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It has been taught that religion entails a lot of sacrifice. That is not true; there is no sacrifice in true religion. True religion is recognizing the Power of the Spirit of God in the life, and then, with full consciousness of that Power, swinging into action, demonstrating that Power, and telling others about it. There is no need of any sort of sacrifice. The churches originated that theory in order to bolster up a lagging treasury. Forget it.

GOD MINUS JESUS-- --

"How can you talk about God without believing in Jesus"? This question came in a letter today, and we shall answer that question now. The question comes from a lady who says she believes in Jesus Christ as God. Perhaps she does. But if she does it must be a blind belief. For certainly this good lady, like millions of other good ladies and gentlemen of the church, has never taken the trouble to inquire if the story she says she believes in is true or false. She, like millions of others, has blindly believed the doctrines her particular religious organization has taught her to believe. And that is the only reason she believes what she has been taught.

One of the teachings of the Christian bible is that the follower must always be able to give a reason for his or her "faith." This, the good lady in question cannot do. As a matter of fact, if this good soul were to make the investigations some of us have made, she would find that there are no reasonable hypotheses upon which to base belief in the story of Jesus Christ. I admit that it is quite possible to "blindly" believe—but you know what happens when the blind lead the blind. They both fall into the ditch.

It is not possible for the thinker to analyze the story of Jesus Christ, weighing all the evidence for and against the truth of the story in view of the many times the story was told before, without being absolutely convinced that there is far more evidence, in fact the evidence is absolutely overwhelming *against* the truth of the story than it is *for* its truth. If the story is true—it has never been told before. But we find that not only has it been told before, we find that about half a dozen other "crucified gods" were born on the same day, December 25th — we find that they all were God—we find they all were born of a virgin—we find they all came to save the world from sin—we find they all were crucified on a cross—we find they all rose from the dead—and we find they are all in "heaven" today, "sitting at the right hand of God."

Certainly this is evidence against

the originality or truth of the story, is it not? How can the last of a string of "crucified gods" be the only true one, all the former gods being false? That is not reasonable. The damning thing about the theology of any church is that it takes man's eyes off the invisible Spirit of God, and puts them on a character who may have lived and who may not have lived. Certainly if he did live, he never could have been God Almighty, for God Almighty existed through countless ages—long before man was ever thought of, while Jesus Christ certainly did not. There never was any man who was the totality of God. All men, in a measure, are part of God, for it is the Life-Spirit which is God that gives them their life. But to say that Jesus Christ or any other man was ever God, is to state an impossibility. God is Spirit. Never could

have been anything else, and when the religious organizers of past ages added Jesus Christ to God, they spoiled God. That put him away out of the reach of man. For men, believing what priest and preacher told them to believe, *at once started to worship the man instead of the Spirit of God behind the man, and that has been disastrous to the world ever since. We note with sadness the condition of the world today as a result of believing in a man as God instead of believing in God direct.* The old heathen mind either could not, or would not, believe in a Deity it could not see, so it made one it could see as a score of other religions had done before. And thereby these old church "fathers" brought to this world the greatest calamity it has ever had brought to it—the worship of a man as God. It will take time to obliterate and repair that mistake. As a result of that mistake, while it was com-

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Questions and Answers

Ques: What do you think of the Townsend Old Age Pension Plan?

Ans: I think it should be tried. I don't know too much about it, but I believe it should be given a trial, say, in one community. Then if it works there, it can be tried elsewhere. I know a better plan, though. That is to get acquainted with the Spirit of God in the life, and through that plan a great sufficiency for all can be manifested. These man-made plans for equality, etc., are all right, I suppose, but they all leave God out of the question. When the present activities of the Spirit of God on this earth are known round the world, these plans will not be necessary. For all men will then know God, and in God is perfect supply. Let us help bring in that day, shall we?

Ques: Should the United States help the Allies?

Ans: This column is not a general question bureau. It exists for the purpose of helping our Members to see each others problems. Do not send in questions about the "war," etc. I do not think the United States should have anything to do with that mess over there. Those countries have fought for ages and they will continue to fight until they haven't anything left to fight with or over. Their squabbles are not ours, and one is as bad as the other one. Let's keep out of it. I believe that it is here in America where the Great Light of the Spirit of God will be lighted and

carried to the whole world. I believe America should first cast off old pagan ideas of God, and then, after having found the Power of the Spirit of God, I believe this country should help send that Light round the world.

Ques: I smoke a pipe and like it. Is this against the rules of "Psychiana"? I don't want to do anything which will hurt my spiritual experience. What shall I do?

Ans: Go ahead and smoke. I do. The Power of the Spirit of God in a human life is not dependent upon a pipeful of tobacco. We have no "rules" whatsoever. We are teaching the Spirit of God in human lives. Let the Spirit of God guide you, brother, not me. After I have brought home to you the consciousness of God in your life, I'm through so far as I am concerned. I have no time to draw up "rules" after that. My whole life is given up to the one thing—making God real to mankind.

Ques: You certainly are not a heathen—what are you in denomination?

Ans: "Psychiana." I suppose I come closer to being a Unitarian than anything else. I am for any denomination which believes in the present existence of the Spirit of God in human life. But simple "belief" in that Presence is not enough for me. I want to make it a living reality to all men. When the world knows God, there will be neither churches nor denominations. For God does not need buildings in which to be "worshipped." Get out under the stars, or by the sea—you'll be more apt to find God there than by sitting in a stuffy church half filled with other humans.

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"Psychiana" is a Movement of the Spirit of God on the earth, and the aim of this Magazine is to assist "Psychiana" in making the Spirit of God a vital living Power in the lives of our fellow-men. The Movement is non-denominational. Its Members comprise adherents to every faith in the world. It wants to help them all. We have no "articles of faith" nor do we have creeds or rituals. We know man exists, and we know the Spirit of God exists. We know man can know the Power of the Spirit of God while on this earth, and through this Movement God is being made a Living Reality to men and women of every race and creed all over the world.

Whenever it is necessary, this Magazine speaks very plainly. Many traditions of "orthodoxy" are shown for what they really are. Whenever we find ancient myth and superstition masquerading as being of the Spirit of God, we bring the facts to the world, kindly but forcefully. We believe the Power of the Spirit of God is abundantly able to step into this desperate and discouraging world picture, and bring a permanent peace. To this end we are striving, and as the Spirit of God reveals Itself to us, we reveal It to others without fear.

Members of every church are cordially invited to come and find and use the Power of the Spirit of God with us. An infinite love for all is the motivating Power of this entire Movement. Through this Movement the Spirit of God is making Its presence known on earth.

The Editors.

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not. So I again challenge the statement of the head of the Roman church that he is the only one ordained and authorized to speak and act for God. I claim the same, and even more right. And I welcome, any time, the opportunity to lay the evidence in my possession before a group of twelve, fifty, or one hundred thinking Americans, men and women who are not under the domination or persuasion of any church, that nothing connected with the fundamentals of "orthodoxy," either Catholic or Protestant, is either true, or of God. I can prove the entire story of Jesus Christ to have been known to millions of people, under another name, thousands of years before either Jesus Christ or the Roman church were ever heard of.

Now that's a big statement to make. The one making it must either be a fool, or he must be sure of his ground. He must know that *Truth is safe*. I know that. I stand in truth

and I can prove my truth. Therefore, regardless of the upset in religion this "*Psychiana*" Movement is causing—I *am safe*. For all truth, says Max Muller, is safe. Nothing else is safe. Therefore, these existing religions, if they are not fundamentally true, are *not safe*. That is exactly what I claim. They are neither true, nor safe. And they know it.

When I was writing "*Gleams Over the Horizon*," I had to stop this type-writer many a time to dry my eyes as I wrote. For I do not like to make public facts which will eventually upset any organization which has taken centuries to build. I realize, too, the great danger of some unthinking people charging me with sensationalism and empty-headedness. This is not true. I am neither sensational nor am I empty-headed. No empty-headed man could ever write as I write. Nor could such a man ever lead a Movement which has brought as much of the Power of God to human souls as we have been able to bring. Nor am I a sensationalist by choice. Of course, the revelations of truth I am making are sensational, in that they completely upset what has been looked upon as religious truth. And there are millions today who, when they read this, will stand aghast at the revelations I am making concerning the church and religion. But you may depend upon it, beloved, I should not be making these statements did I not know their truth. And whenever anyone can prove to me that I am wrong, I shall be glad to turn the key in "*Psychiana*" and sell my services to the highest bidder. But, though I love these organizations with an infinite love, I still must tell the world that the structure they have erected is not a true structure. I still must tell my fellow beings that God was never crucified on a cross under the name of either Jesus Christ, Jesus Christna, Buddha Sayka, Prometheus, Jesus, or any of the 32 claimed gods who, according to religious tradition, came from heaven in the form of a man, each being God, to save this world from sin, whatever that may be.

I still must proclaim from the house-tops that God did *not* make a mistake when He made man, drown-

ing the whole cavalcade of them, with one family exception, like rats in a trap. I still must tell the world that the story of the crucifixion, the resurrection, the atonements of any of these "gods," is pure fiction and superstition, born in an age when the human mind was in a rather dark and benighted condition. Yet, to the eternal shame of all church organizations, these pieces of fiction are offered to thinking, intelligent, God-fearing men and women in America today, as being the priceless truths of a priceless God. What a fallacy. What a sham. What blasphemy on the name of God is that.

What I am writing to the world these days will be read long after I am dead and gone. These writings may mean a premature end for me. They may mean a bullet. They may mean more persecution although God knows I have had enough of that. But they may mean most any of these things, and yet, will they? Somehow or other, I don't believe they will. For is not all *truth safe*? If what I write is true, and if God be behind this Movement, is not the time ripe for men and women to recognize the real truths of God? I think so. Of course, there will be a mighty effort made to discredit me. That goes without saying. But that has already been done. And still we stand and progress. But after all, it's not so much what any religious organization thinks or says about what I write that matters. All that is involved is whether what I write is true or false. And the whole

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world is learning that what I write is true.

Not so long ago, a certain magazine said, in speaking of me—"this man is the greatest religious genius this world has ever known." I have very little academic background, and what few degrees I possess have been given to me honorary by those who thought I really was making a contribution to the human race. I assure you I am no genius. All I am is a man who could not find God by church methods, yet who, knowing that God *must* exist, determined to find Him outside church methods. And I did. And the whole world knows I did. There is consternation amongst "the faithful," but only because "the faithful" choose to allow some priest or preacher to do their religious thinking for them. This I refuse to do. I do my own religious thinking. So should you. You

might be missing a lot if you let someone else do it for you. Anyway, the God of this universe is such a God that *whosoever will may come and take of the water of life, which means the Spirit of God, quite freely.*

No need of priests or preachers to direct the works of God. No need for any to tell any other how God operates. All may know because God is *in each human heart and life.* Therefore, any who pretend to intervene between God and man have an ulterior motive. Shun them as you would an adder. They mean well, but they will wreck your life and soul. *All truth is safe,* and under that statement and with that blessed assurance, all may live their lives with the full consciousness that if they but recognize God in their midst, every undesirable thing in that life will vanish like the rising mist before the morning sun. *God in you.* What greater hope and assurance than that can you ever need? *God in you as the*

Spirit of Eternal Truth—then why should you go into some "confession-box" telling some priest the wrong things you did, and incidentally paying for the continuation in existence of such an organization?

The very exercise smells to high heaven, in my opinion. I cannot imagine myself being so superstitious that I, with bowed head, should tell any priest or preacher some of the dirty tricks I have pulled in my life. Confession is good for the soul—yes—but don't confess to any man even if he tells you he is an agent of God. Ask him to show his credentials. And these credentials should consist of more than black cloth, a collar buttoned backwards, and the title "Reverend." It should consist in absolute proof that this one knows God. And if he knows God he will never tell you to confess to him what you have done. All that is but a remnant of the very thing I am trying to expose—pagan

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In the above photograph you see Dr. Robinson with Thomas E. Dewey, the Republican candidate for President. The gentleman in the center is Mr. Irving Hart, Publisher of the Boise Statesman. Mr. Dewey is on the left and Dr. Robinson on the right. Although "Psychiana" takes no sides politically, Dr. Robinson is very active personally in civic and national affairs. He is a Republican but would support a Democrat running for any office if he believed the Democrat to be the better man.

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paratively easy to make their followers in past ages believe in that "man-god" story, it has become increasingly hard to do so now. And as a result of these attempts, we face the horrible condition of almost universal atheism.

Man cannot, and man will not, believe that any little group of Roman soldiers were able to kill God. You can tell them they are going to hell till you're black in the face and still you cannot interest them. You can preach Jesus Christ also till you are black in the face and still the world as a whole will pay no attention to you. It instinctively knows the story sounds too impossible to be true, and the church of today has made itself a laughing stock which is a pity, and it has done this because it has insisted on replacing the Spirit of God with a man. That can never be done. You can preach John 3:16 till the crack of doom, and when it cracks you still will not have saved humanity with that story.

The pitiable thing is that such a theory as that never was necessary. All those old church "fathers" had to do was to preach and teach the present existence of the invisible Spirit of God with all its Power to help man here and now, and their troubles would have been over. They were, however, more interested in building up an organization than they were in bringing the consciousness of the Spirit of God to the individual consciousness. That is what we of "Psychiana" are doing. We are bringing to the individual consciousness of man—*God*. And we are doing it without even alluding to Jesus Christ, except to deny his God-ship. And every man and woman into whose life is coming the Spirit of God, is a man or woman who is not in the slightest degree interested in the story of Jesus Christ as a God.

Unquestionably there are teachings in the Christian religion as there are in every other religion which are very fine. There are others which are not so fine. However, to sum up, the teaching of Jesus as a God, instead of

saving this world, has brought to it more bloodshed than all the wars ever waged have brought, and there's something wrong somewhere. If there were no other belief than in the invisible Spirit of God, there would be no need for 400 denominations—all would agree. But then, if that were the case, there could not be any Catholic, or Methodist, or any other sort of church, because the invisible Spirit of God operates in each individual life, and certainly there is no need of church-houses in which to worship that God.

I should say to this lady that I can believe in God a great deal easier without Jesus Christ than I could with Jesus Christ. As a matter of fact, it was not until I had absolutely discarded the story of Jesus that I was able to know the Power of the Spirit of God. That, of course, is contrary to what this good lady believes. But I can point to hundreds of thousands of others like me.

You cannot know the Power of the Spirit of God and dishonor God by believing in Jesus Christ or in any other "crucified world savior" as God. That is impossible. The name of Jesus Christ, sacred perhaps to many, but sacred through ignorance, has never yet disclosed the Spirit of God to anyone. It cannot. For to know the invisible Spirit of God, automatically puts away anything of any nature which comes between the individual and God. Not even a church-created "crucified god" can come between the Spirit of God and man. Neither can man believe in a "crucified god" and know the Power of the Spirit of the True God. That is an impossibility.

So while, to this good lady, and many thousands of others, I am a "lost soul," I am, nevertheless, the instrument through which the Spirit of God is manifesting its Power in countless thousands of human hearts. And once more, the tree is known by its fruits. It is useless for any individual or church organization to condemn me, with the world in the shape it's in today *in spite of the teaching of the crucified god Jesus Christ for centuries*.

The whole religious picture is a riot. The leaders of every system of

religion in America are at their wit's end. They are beside themselves to know what to do to save their individual structures. They would like to help bring peace and God to the world, but they do not know how to do it. My advice is to get rid of the story of Jesus Christ, who at best never was more than a traditional "crucified god," and in the place of him *first find, and then teach, the invisible Power of the Spirit of the Infinite Invisible God*. That's good advice if they will only take it. If they don't take it, they will go down to ignominious defeat, for the Spirit of God will not leave this earth, but as Dr. Jean Milner says—*it will manifest in institutions other than our own*. And when a prominent churchman says that, the church had better listen.

The Spirit of God is manifesting today on this earth through this Movement. We welcome any church to join us and partake of this latter-day outpouring of the Spirit of God.

Success ~

THE degree of success which you have in life depends upon the degree to which you use the Power of the Spirit of God in your life. This applies to your physical life as well as to your spiritual life. You may be an auto mechanic. You may be a street-sweeper. You may be a banker. You may be most anything. But your success in life can always be measured by the thermometer of how much of the Spirit of God do you use. It's a good plan to wake up in the morning, conscious of the Presence of God and its a better plan to let the existence of the Spirit of God in you become so matter-of-fact that it automatically operates through you. That is entirely possible. In fact, that is the proper way to live. To cast away all thoughts of life without God, and to just live, naturally and carefully, recognizing always the presence of the Spirit of God in you.

I know a banker. If ever there was a cold-blooded piece of machinery it's that banker. He lives a dollar, he sleeps a dollar, and he is continually scheming how he can amass more

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Fascisti ~

A few years back, your Founder was driving along a country road near Naples in Italy. Napoli the Italians call it. We had rented a car and a driver to take us out to see Mt. Vesuvius. We went to the top of that volcano. On the way out, we heard the screech of a score of sirens. The driver at once drew the car off the side of the road into the shallow ditch. In a few moments about twenty or more motorcycles came down the road at about 60 miles an hour. The driver of the car stood up in his seat while they were passing, and gave the Fascist salute.

After they had passed, I said to the driver—"who were they, and why did you have to pull off the road?" "Oh," he replied with great consternation, "that was the Fascisti." I inquired what the "Fascisti" was and the driver informed me "that is the government." If Fascism or Naziism or Communism ever gets a foothold of any size here in the United States, we may all have to pull our cars to the ditch when the "Fascisti" go by. And it has been said that there are plenty of Communists here now. I don't doubt it. But the best cure for Communism, Naziism, and Fascism is the Spirit of God. These totalitarian systems are aimed at giving to the many at the expense of the few. This is not economically sound. But they all want something the other fellow has. If they are cowards, like Hitler, and Stalin, they take it because of the brute force they possess.

If they were wise, however, and if they knew the Power of the Spirit of God in their lives, they would not do these things. For they would realize, as we of "Psychiana" realize, that the ever-abiding Spirit of God is more than able to give to *all*, everything they can possibly need for their complete joy, happiness, and peace. What more can they need? But the Spirit behind these foreign "isms" is dangerous. They are attempting to secure these things, without God. They forget that the Spirit of God made this universe, and still sustains it. And they forget further that under no circumstances will that Spirit allow this universe to run wild, and God-less. That can never be. Yet

that is exactly as Communism and Fascism, and Hitlerism would have it.

These forces will best be crushed by making known to them the fact that what they are trying to get by brute force can be better gotten through the Power of the Spirit of God. That is what these totalitarian people do not understand. I wonder if we, here in wonderful America, could not show by example just how blessed life can be under the guidance of the Spirit of God? When the fullness of that Power is known, all these foreign "isms" will vanish as the mists before the rising sun. Let us help to dispel the gloom of false religions, find the True Spirit of God, and then pass that knowledge on to others. Shall we?

Success

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dollars to his already large pile. He stands on the street corners of a certain city I know, and he delights to puff on his cigarette and tell everyone who will listen to him what a lot of money he is making. He gets drunk every so often, steps out a bit every so often, and, to hear him talk, you would think he is one of the most successful self-made men in the U.S. today. But he isn't. He is one of the most miserable of all failures I have known, and I've known a lot of them. But this chap tops the list. He has no friends except "booze" friends and he doesn't keep them very long because they soon discover that drunk or sober, he won't lend them a nickel without getting a hundred dollars worth of security for that nickel.

So when gauging success, be sure you know success from failure. For the banker I am thinking about, with all his cash, is a complete and colossal failure. True success can only be measured by the yardstick of what one has done for others, through the Power of the Spirit of God.

I would rather live the life I do live, notwithstanding all the misery there is in it, all the lonesomeness, all the jeers and sneers of the "godly"—I say I would rather live that life, knowing that I am bringing to tens of thousands the Power of the Spirit

of God, than to have all the money that banker has. And he has a lot of it. In my case, I am giving all I have, all I know, all I can learn, to others. I am tearing myself to pieces, literally, both physically and mentally, in order that I may be true to my high calling of bringing to the world the truths of God. I don't want to be lax even for one hour. I want to do *all* I can do, not half of what I can do—but *all* I can do. For, if I do that, I shall help lots of people. That's true success. I shall never have much money for the simple reason that I don't want much money. But I have riches this world never even dreams of. I have the riches of the Spirit of God in a great measure and in the knowledge and in that Spirit, I am very happy. Let your success then, come from helping others find God, and not from getting all the cash you can.

If there is no consciousness, actual or literal, of God in the life, there is no religion there. There cannot be. You may make lots of noise about your religion, but unless you know God *in you*, you have no religion.

There can be no complete and lasting structure of society unless it be founded on religion. Not churchism, but religion. Any other system of society is incomplete. It will fail. For religion contains all that is good and true, and there is nothing good and true outside of religion.

Wherever there is true religion, there too is true liberty. The two of these things go together. They are inseparable. That's because God is inseparable from you. Do you realize that staggering fact?

You cannot judge the "other fellow's" religion. You may think he has none, and he may have a lot more than you have. What you have may only be churchianity. That's not religion.

Once you get religion you never can lose it. For religion is only the recognition of the Spirit of God in you. Two and two always makes four. God and you, in conscious recognition, make religion.

Religion does not imply revelation, it is revelation. Just one revelation—the revelation of the God in you.

The Safety of Truth

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superstition masquerading in the name of God. It is not true. It never was true. And the world is fast discarding it.

Whenever tempted to do wrong, which, by the way, you never will be if you recognize God in your life, just 'pass by on the other side' and you will find that the "temptation" which the preachers so love, never even existed in reality. The man who knows God will have nothing to fear from temptation. True, he can go and kill his neighbor any time he wants to, only, *he won't want to*. He will instinctively and automatically do unto others what he should do unto them. And if every man in this world tonight would do that, God and man would be living here on this earth together. That day will come. It will come when every jot and tittle of pagan religious superstition is once and forever banished from the face of the earth. It will come when all "crucified gods" with their "virgin mothers" have ceased to be even a memory. That day is fast on its way. It's a race now between the truths of God and the annihilation of the human race through pagan superstition. And the truths of God will win. They will stand, for, *all truth is safe and nothing else is safe*.

Daniel Webster once said "religion is the tie that connects man with his Creator." Religion is more than that—it is the Life of the Creator in man.

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The Way It Looks To Me~

(An open letter to a friend)

By STEVE DAHLMAN
"Psychiana" Artist

Grand Forks, N. Dak.
Dec. 2nd, 1939.

Dear Friend:

It was indeed a welcome pleasure, to receive your fine letter . . . am happy to note that your health shows good improvement, and I'm sure you'll find yourself feeling even better, as time goes on.

I'm inclined to think that Death has no fear for you, Mr. A . . . , in fact, we should *never*, under any circumstances, even allow ourselves to *think* about it! Should that attitude continually, be held in one's consciousness, what's to *prevent the Infinite Life Spirit, from living in, and continually re-newing, that certain human mechanism?*

Personally, Mr. A . . . , I've given this subject much earnest thought, and its truth appeals to me more and more . . . of course, many will argue differently, for instance, I'll mention just a few points here, which would be raised by many, concerning this matter of *eternal physical life*. . . also, I shall earnestly put forth, my own viewpoints, *just as I allow the Infinite Life Spirit, within me, to dictate to me, as I type.*

First, . . . in the process of *evolution*, isn't it necessary that humans die, in order that room be made for new arrivals? (answer) . . . As I see it, . . . No. If people can, or will, allow the creative *Life Spirit, full access to their being, this Infinite intelligence would not have to continually re-create habitats for itself! After all, is not the Master Architect continually and lovingly striving for that end, if we but let him?*

What would be the sense of things going on, indefinitely, as they are? Just imagine you as being the *Infinite God* . . . Would you not strive to perfect the most efficient thing, you created . . . the human mechanism?

Would you not wish it to last, *always?* . . . and being God, would you not have the power, to so renew and perfect your machine, that you, yourself, created already, even down to the most microscopic cell, that it express *yourself* . . . forever? Naturally, you would want to bring the machine, in which you live, and through which you work and create, to the supreme height of its usefulness . . . and where, might I ask, is there room for a destructive force, such as decay, aging, disease, weakness or death, in such a magnificent scheme?

I feel extremely close to God, as I write this letter, Mr. A . . . , in fact, *the words seem to pour forth, automatically!*

Another thing . . . imagining yourself, as being the *Infinite Intelligence* . . . could you not remove the functions of sex and reproduction, entirely, from your *super-race?* After all, with *eternal physical life* established, these would be totally unnecessary, and exist today, *only* because the human race has been duped and misled, *into believing in death!*

It all seems to add up to the same thing, the final conclusion that death is in reality, *unreality and absolutely unnecessary!* . . . in fact, definitely contrary, to the whole magnificent scheme!

Man is the *highest intelligence or God, in body, but doesn't know it!*, or else is too stubbornly afflicted with so-called Biblical Christianity . . . which, in most ways, is *the scourge of the earth!*

Mr. A . . . , I'm sure you've had occasion to watch, those poor unfortunate souls,

marching to their many respective and contradictory churches, assuming meekness, sanctimoniousness, etc., with their good old, moth-eaten Bibles clasped in their hands, then listening to their eloquent pastor, sing high praises of Christ and Glory to come with nothing but a collection box for them, *here and now!*

Then these self-satisfied "good folk" march out feeling like the boy scouts, that they've done their "good deed" for the week, and may safely *forget* all about God, until another "holy" Sunday rolls around.

They *forget God, even before they have found him!* Where are these poor people going? What have they to *live* for? What advantages or blessings are they bestowing upon their children? How will future generations (if future generations be necessary, in this *rising* evolutionary process) benefit by their present philosophies, with which they cannot, even help themselves!

It all seems so dreadfully futile, when you look at present-day, varying religions . . . and yet, these good Christians feel supremely satisfied . . . or do they? and think *only* of their own "goodness" and the terrible "sinning" of the younger generation . . . which, incidentally, is much closer to God than most of these oldsters!

Now, I always feel that theorizing and lecturing is fine and dandy, but one must somehow be able to *prove* his point. Well, I cannot very well *prove* that I shall exist, physically, forever, just yet . . . But, I can manifest *health, success, and real power, here and now*, until the day comes when *eternal life shall be fully recognized, in my body.*

It's pleasant to think, this way, Mr. A., and best of all, it's *true!*

I sincerely hope you enjoy this letter, just a little . . . I was inspired in writing it, and the Truths which have unfolded, to me, as I typed, have amazed me, and made me joyously thankful, *just to be alive, and so marvelously close to my Creator!*

Please write soon again, and send me some of your *God-expressions*, on paper.

May you and yours have abundance, and glow with *health, cheer and happiness!*

Yours Sincerely,
STEVE.

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